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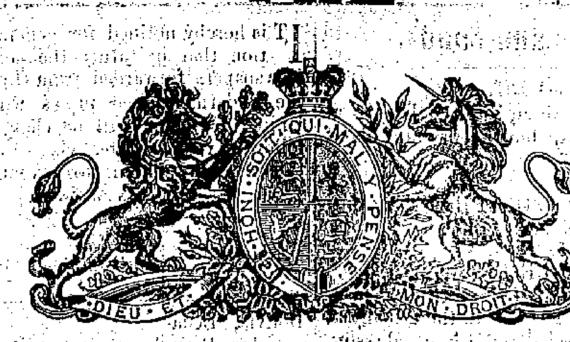
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HE Committee beg to intimate that the Third REPRESENTATION of the Season is fixed for the Evening of

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at the Lusitano Theatre, when will be performed the laughable Farce "THE RIFLE AND HOW TO USE IT." To be followed by

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Macao, Aug. 4, 1866.

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throughout the world. pany's Agents-with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold Bills payable in Europe or in any of the above mentioned places are purchased romitted for collection. Further information as to the rules business may be obtained at the office. on application by letter to the manager. Office hours:—10 to 3, Saturdays 10 to 1,

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quested to transmit the same to A. McCAL-For Agra and Masterman's Bank Lt EDWARD MORRISS, Attorney.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. TPHE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steam ship FORMOSA, will leave for the above places at 8 a.M., on and St. Nazaire, France. SUNDAY, the 19th linstant.

W. MACAULAY,

Adding Superintendent.

Hongkong, November 8, 1867.

Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

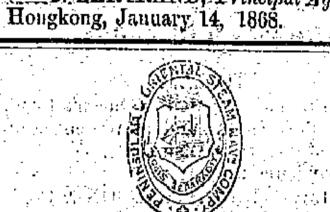
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BOMBAY, PONDIOHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA ON SATURDAY, the 25th Inst., at 2 P.M., the Company's Steam-ship "DONNAI," Commandant Bourdon, with

Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, will leave this Port for the above places, Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles or the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4

P.M. of the 23rd Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P. M. of the 24th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office. For further particulars apply at the Company's Office, Queen's Road. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.



STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles,

Bombay, Madras, Calcutta, and

Australia. THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship BENARES," Captain McCulloch, wit Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, SATURDAY, 1st February, at 2 1P M. CARGO will be received on board until drin on the Hist linstant, specie while loon on the 1st Lebricoly, and PARCELS intil 5 P.m. on the 31st Junuary.

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themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrect iless in such declaration. Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company? Black Bills of Lading.



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THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK.

OTEAMERS of this line will leave Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco follows :— Great Republic, . on or about Jan. 14. Capt. DOANE, China, Captain SMITH, Colorado, Capt.

Costa Rica will leave Shanghai Jan. 15th Feb. 25th, Mar. 17th, April 17th, connect ing at Yokohama with above named Stea-Passengers ticketed through to Californi Mexico, Central and South America, il Atlantic States, and to England or France both via New York and by lines from Pa

Return tickets issued at a reduction

nama and Aspinwall.

Capt. Doane, \ m n Apr. 16.

10 % upon the whole amount for the round expense of the Consignees. Counections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West TURE, Glassware, Crockery ware, Two ON and after this date all Persons having for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cumediate delivery:

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Hongkong, November 28, 1867.

Steam Tugs.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P.

NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. HIS Powerful TUG is available at any A moment to Borth Vessels in Harbour. or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on

d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong Secretary.

Hongkong, October 13, 1866. NOTICE. UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONG. KONG AND WHAMPOA.

STEAM TUG "LITTLE ORPHAN." MHIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in this Harbour, or to Tow them to or from Sea For Particulars, apply at the Company's Office, Pedder's Wharf, Praya, Hongkong, or to the Captain on Board.

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Master, having the greater part of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despátch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to

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AUGUSTINE REARD & Co. Hougkong, December 16, 1867. FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ROZARIO & Co. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 Hamburg Barque

imited amount of Cargo, for which, apply OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

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LORENZEN, Master, 588 Tons Register, will load at Whampon limited amount of Cargo; for which, apply

Notices to Consignees. "GRESHAM" FROM LONDON NONSIGNEES of C M B, 1 case Merthe same has been landed and stored in the godowns of the Undersigned at Consignees

Hongkong, January 16, 1868. "VIRGEN DEL UARMEN," FROM MANILA. NONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel, will please send in their, Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Ves-

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Ex Tigre, 5th December.

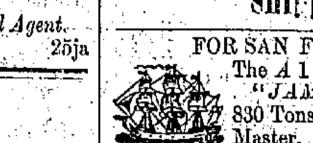
Hongkong, December 19, 1867. CONSIGNEES of A. B. H., 275 Barrels.

Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

JOHN'S LAPRAIK

(LIMITED.)

Hongkong, October 12, 1865.



Hongkong, January 15, 1868. and Southampton;

> above Ports. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1868.

"VIRGEN DEL CARMEN," will have quick despatch. I. For Freight or Passage, ap-

The British Ship "JOSHUA BATES." Capt Sydserff, will have immediate despatch for the above

Hongkong, December 31, 1867. "GALATEA."MATFIELD, Master, 375 Tons Register, will lead at Wham-

FOR NEW YORK

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Hongkong, January 6, 1868. U chandise, are hereby informed that

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risk and expense.

India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," AUTIUE.
(Limited) and the "French Transatlantic THE following cases have been landed and Company." And, at New York, with the stored at the risk and expense of the

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Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

... ... 1 basket Feathers. C. BERTRAND. Principal Agent.

Goods have been landed and stored in our For further information, apply at the Godowns at the expense and risk of the Agency of the Company, Praya West.

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

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CONSIGNEES of CUTTON by the above Steamer are hereby informed that the same is being landed and stored in the Godowns of the Undersigned at the vessel's expense but at Shippers' Risk, and will be ready for delivery on and after the 14th

All Cotton not taken delivery of before the 18th instant will be charged Godown Rent for at 10 cents per bale per month.

Consignees of OPIUM and SALTPETRE are requested to take immediate delivery of their Cargo, otherwise it will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1868.

NOTICE. ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company U steam ship "DONNAI," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods before the 7th instant, or they will be landed and stored at their risk

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, January 6, 1868.

Notices of Firms.

TATE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE YY to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NIOTICE is hereby given that the Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr C. Jameson in our Firm ceased on the 30th General & Commission Agents. September last. The Business will in future be carried on by Mr Z. BARTON under the Name or

Style of Jameson & Barton, as heretofore JAMESON & BARTON, Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE. S my Eugagement ceases in May next A all outstanding Accounts for the pas Two Years must be sent in immediately fo payment. MARY HASTELOW RANDLE,

Superintendent. Diocesan School. Hongkong, January 2, 1868. R. THOMAS PYKE has this day been VI admitted a Partner in our Firm. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, January 2, 1868. HE Business of the Undersigned will be carried on at Peddar's Hill, Mi EDMUND R. HOLMES having retired from

GEO. HOLMES Ship and General Broker. Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE. MESSRS. H. P. M. WACHTELS and H. ALPHE URTMANS ceased to be Partners in our Firm since the 31st December GAYMANS & Co.

Nagasaki, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE R RYLE HOLME has been admitted Mas a partner in our Firm. GLOVER & Co. Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of M A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased on the 31st day of December, 1867. A. FERGUSON & Co. Hongkong, January 3, 1808.

NOTICE. TROM and after this date Mr George BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this S. L. PHELPS,

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of M MERALLY DHURUMSEYBHOY, in our Firm ceased on the 15th instant, and the said Firm will be continued under the Style of SHERIFF & Co. in Bombay, instead of VALLY MAHOMED ALLOOPHOY as hereto-

SHERIFF & Co. Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

NOTICE.

MY Business, as Ship and Insurance W Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward h conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. HOOK, SON & Co.

J. S. HOOK. Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE. HAVE this day commenced Business as Ship Broker: S. L. HEINEMANN. Hougkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr A. I REROUSON in our Firm ceased on the 1st day of November, 1866.

A. FERGUSON & Co. FIRE Business will be henceforth carried on under the same Name by the Un-

dersigned. A. D. MITCHELL, J. D. MEYERS, and

HENRY FEHRS. Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68 NOTICE.

T HAVE this day established myself, as PUBLIC TEA INSPECTOR and GENERAL COMMISSION MEBOHANT, at this Port, under the style and Firm of GUNDRY & Co. ALFRED A. GUNDRY, Shanghae, June 1, 1865

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as a General Commission Merchant, under the Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER Saigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr | Enclosed Grazing Paddock adjoining. W. A. STURROUK in our Firm ceased yesterday by lapse of time.

Amoy, January 1, 1803.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE. L'ROM and after this date, Captain J. C. SAUNDERS will undertake the Business of my Marine Surveying at this port. H. J. DRING, Marine Surveyor.

Foochow, August 1, 1867. NOTICE. MITH reference to the above, the business hitherto carried on

H. J. Dring, Esq. at Foochow will be conducted by the Undersigned. J. C. SAUNDERS,

Pagoda Anchorage. Foochow. Foochow, August 1, 1867.

NOTICE, PHE Partnership hitherto existing between Dorindo do Rozario, Alexan-DRE MARCAL, JR. and Antonio dos Santos the Printing Office at Foochow, was dissolved on the 12th November, 1867. ROZARIO & Co.

WITH reference to the above, the Business hitherto carried on by Messrs ROZARIO & Co. as Printers in Foochow, will be conducted by the Undersigned, who have this day established themselves as Printers under the Firm of Rozanio, Mar-AL & Co.

Foochow, November 16, 1867.

DORINDO DO ROZARIO. ALEXANDRE MARCAL, JR Foochow, November 16, 1867.

MARR & MORTZ.

NAGASAKI. NOTICE.

THE interest and responsibility of Mr W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm ceased the 1st January, 1866. BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

· Have this day established myself as a G neral Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN OORDT & Co.

W. C. VAN OORDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. HE Premises situated in Queen's Road Stanley Street, and at present occupied by Messrs H. MARSH & Co. For particulars, apply to

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, 5th September, 1867 TO BE LET. WO New and Strong GODOWNS

Marine Lot No. 63. GAVIN THOMPSON, at Gibe, Livingston & Co.'s Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

TO LET. **POUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor** above the Offices of the Undersigned, 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can taken on the 1st of January, 1868,

For Terms, &c., apply to i. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

WO or three Rooms, suitable for Offices or otherwise, facing the Praya, West. Apply to J. S. HOOK SON & Co.

TO LET. THE whole or part of a HOUSE situated | at 12 o'clock A.M. in Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, September 3, 1867.

For particulars, apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, January 28, 1867.

LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866. TO LET.

70. 1, PECHILI TERRACE. Elgin Street. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, May 24, 1867.

PHE FIRST FLOOR of the House No. 94. Queen's Road Central, corner of Graham Street, consisting of three spacious | Equator on 27th Sept., light winds in the Rooms. Verandah and Outhouses, well North Atlantic. Passed Cape Gaze on 8th adapted for Offices. Apply to

WM. SCHMIDT & Co. Gunmakers.

Hougkong, October 2, 1867. TO LET.

N OFFICE with Godown and Comoradore's Room. Apply to

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, October 1, 1866.

TO LET. HE PREMISES situated at Fedder's Wharf, lately occupied by Messra AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Possession can be taken on the 1st of January 1868.

For further particulars, apply to THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, December 30, 1867.

TO LET. I'WO HOUSES on Carlton Terrace Spring Gardens, with or without Godowns, rent moderate.

LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, 5th September, 1867.

TURNISHED or unfurnished OFFICES opposite the Hotel Company's Premises.

Horses, situated on the Robinson Road Water and Gas laid on, with the use of an For further particulars, apply to Mr. EDMUND SHARP,

Hongkong, August 20, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. BRICK and Stone Built GODOWN Wanchai, capable of containing about 10,000 picula. Apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 3, 1867.

· TO BE LET. Furnished or Unfurnished.

HE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at Bo present occupied by Mr N. R. Masson, Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson at Hongkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET.

THE extensive and eligible PREMISES. Corner of Hollywood Road and Shelley Street, lately in the occupation of H. M. Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, September 4, 1867

TO LET. LARGE ROOM fronting the Queen's Road, suitable for either an Office Apply at the

MEDICAL HALL, Queen's Road. Hongkong, September 20, 1867.

TO BE LET. SHOP, situated in the best part of the Queen's Road, with Show Cases and Fittings complete. N.B.—Two First Floor Rooms can be had with above, if required.

Address "Z.," care of Hongkong Dis Hongkong, November 28, 1867. TO LET HE OFFICE and GODOWN situated at

the corner of Wellington and Aberdeen Streets, and at present in the occupation of Messis Elmenhorst & Sanders. For particulars, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

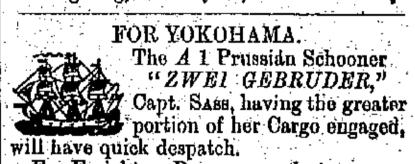
HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

New Advertisements.

FOR NAGASAKI.

The Prussian steamer will be despatched on Thurs day, the 23rd inst., at 5 P.A Should sufficient inducement offer, th Vessel will also load for Hiogo, Osaka via

For Freight or Passage, apply to EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1868.



For Freight or Passage, apply to WM. PUSTAU & Co. Hongkong, January 17, 1868. MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY

IN CHINA. HE Twenty-Ninth Annual MEETING of this Society will be held in Canton. at the house of Messrs Olyphant & Co., on WEDNESDAY, the 22nd day of Jan.,

J. G. KERR, Secretary. Canton, January 16, 1868.

ARRIVAL Jan. 17. Ashuelot, Amer. steamer, 325, . Rowie, New York via Manila, Aug. 1 Ballast.—Aug. HEARD & Co.

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CLEARED. Lahloo, for Saigon. Snindrift, for Saigon. Juno, for Foochow. te Minerva, for Mauila.

land bound to Manila.

Gloria, for Nagasaki. SHIPPING REPORT. The American steamer Ashvelot, from New York via Manila, reports: crossed the Oct., strong Westerly gales off the Cape. Lost fore yard. Passed Banca Strait on 15th Nov. Left Sourabaya on 6th Dec., came up Macassar, and put into Iloilo for coals. Arrived at Manila on 5th January ; left there on 11th of the same, since then mot with strong N. N. E. gales; a Spanish bk was on shore at Mintock Strait, from Eng-

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS T is hereby notified for goneral information that from and after this date, all Letters sent to this Office for transmission tween Hongkong and Shanghai, to places other than Shanghai and Yokohama, must be prepaid.

F. W. MITCHELL, Post Master General General Post Office. Hongkong, July 8, 1867.

IT is hereby notified that henceforward L correspondence addressed to Portugal may be forwarded via Marseilles in the Mails by both the French and English of the precious metals in Eastern Asia. suppressing the report of the matter to ness in the Summary Court cause, appeared the home government, to have his re- as witnesses, and proved the facts upon Packets at the following rates of postage, Packets at the following rates of postage; "The appendix of Sailing Directions has moval clamoured for by influential organs which the perjury is based by the prosecutive. For a letter under to the stion, been reprinted from the China Pilot, in Lisbon, and to be submitted to the tion. weight, 20 cents; above a and not exceed. With short interruptions, the coasts from indignity of a commission of enquiry ing an oz. 40 cents; above and not exin BANK BUILDINGS, immediately | teeding & of an oz. 60 cents; for every atte ditional & ounce, 20 cents. Prepayment of the postage on Letters is optional, the pos-Coach HOUSE and STABLING for 5 tage on Newspapers and other Printed Papers cannot be prepaid here. Letters may be registered, provided double the ordinary

postage be paid in advance. J. SIMPSON, Assistant Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong, July 8, 1867.

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tion that in future the postage upon Newspapers forwarded from Hongkong to the undermentioned places through the United Kingdom will be charged at the following reduced rates, viz:-FOR A NEWSPAPER NOT EXCEEDING 4

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F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General General Post Office, Hongkong, October 8, 1867.

THE CHINESE COMMERCIAL GUIDE.

BY S. WELLS WILLIAMS, L.L.D. Published at the "CHINA MAIL" Office, Hongkong,

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5.—Measurement of Cargo.

6.—Bullion Operations.

APPENDIX. - Containing Sailing Direc-Japan Islands; also giving the meanings of allowing the Annamites to appeal to Sailing Directions; and also a Table of Positions of places on the Chinese and Japa-

nese Coasts. The author in his Preface says :- "The by the French Mall Packets running be- measurement of goods, exchanges, &c. have the present moment. He may be indif. first prisoner endeavored to swear out of been selected from those constantly in use rent to the criticism passed upon his among the foreign merchants in China. more extended tables, by the kind permis- guage. He may care nothing for the prisoners, in heavy amounts. Mr Hazesion of the author, P. Loureiro, Esq. The reprobation of honest men, as most peo- land appeared as Crown prosecutor; Lucy last section of the same chapter, on Move. ple regard the opinion only of their Atung was defended by Mr Gaskell, and furnished for the Guide by Patrick R. Harner, Est., of the Commercial Bank of India at Hougkong, who has had much ex-

Singapore to Hakodadi are all described in upon charges tantamount to connivance. and for the Chinese coasts, the Directions have been improved by the insertion long penal servitude, even by the ill-exeall places that could be ascertained."

CHARLES A. SAINT,

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China Mail Agents, or direct to

China Mail Office, Jan. 6, 1868,

QUOTATIONS. Hongkong, 17th January, 1868. PIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$6571

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Hongkong, 17th January, 1868. Barometer, 30.160 30.098 Attached Thermometer, Dry Bulb, Maximum S. Rgr., ... Minimum S. Rgr., 56.0 Max. Sun's Rays, ... Minimum on Grass, ... 49.0 Previous | Rain on Grov. 0.00 24 hours, , , above, ... 0.00 Wind, ... N.E. N.E. Cloud, Woather. ... Fine. Fine.

MARRIAGE. On the 15th instant, at St. John's Cathe dral, Hongkong, by the Rev. W. R. Beach Captain WILLIAM STUART, of Peterhead, to BESSIE, second Daughter of the late Samuel Paramore, Esq., of Devonport, and Niece of Richd. Beall, Esq., of Sydenham, Kent.

THE CHINA MAIL.

hongkong, friday, jan. 17, 1868

MACAO AND THE PORTUGUESI GOVERNMENT. IT is not often that we have alluded to chief offenders, Macaense and Chinese, the Macao Coolie Trade with satisfaction. When we have felt compelled, in the interests of humanity, to add our own to the protests of the general public it has the representatives of other nations in been with a sincero feeling of sorrow China will cheerfully lend assistance. that Portugal has so long permitted her For the sake of recovering the good opiname to be associated with the infamous | nion of natives and foreigners in the Far acts of the Macao Man-stealers. Upon East it will be worth while to discegard the present occasion, however, we have the sanctimonious and "respectable" a more agreeable duty to perform in re- pretences of the coolie brokers, who rely cording the fact that the Portuguese on their compliance with the law at Ma-Government chiefly moved, it is said, by | cao to shield them from complicity in the the vehement expostulations in the Co- doings of the kidnappers at other points lonial journals, English and Portuguese, upon the coast; and if this be done, a have at length ordered a commission of result may be achieved similar to that enquiry into the Annamite case, and if which has distinguished the annals of report be true has conveyed to the Hongkong, in which a determination Excellency" who governs Macao and to wink at neither carelessness or fraud his subordinates an unmistakeable hint has purged the colony of gross abuses that the inquiry is no sham, and that if it condemns them unpleasant consequences are likely to follow. More than this, Portuguese journals of respectability and influence have given the Macao scandal to the world of Portugal, and extracts which are likely to cause lively pleasure to Macao readers are introduced to this part of the world by our contemporary the Echo do Povo. Few journals have a better right than this latter to carry out the exposure of the Macae Coolie Trade. It has for years advocated with a pertinacity which has more than once resulted in trouble to its conductors, an entire reformation in the system under which the Macao coolie trade has been carried on. It has fearlessly exposed the crimes of the man-stealers, the venality and neglect of officials, the cowardice of the better disposed inhabitants; and we congratulate it upon the fact that

the Portuguese Government has at-

length determined to vindicate the honor

Europe, has in the East become a mark

interest the article from the Jornal do

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Readers of Portuguese will peruse with

for the scorn of honest men.

Echo of the 14th instant. It gives in full the deposition of the Annumite interpreter, the petition to the Hongkong Government and the result of the appeal to Colonial liberality. In its comments upon the conduct of Senhor Horta, the "philanthropic" governor of Macao, it does not spare that worthy, who, fortunately for the Portuguese good name, cartions for the Coast of China, and for the ried out his humane ideas to the extent of Chinese Words occurring in Charts and this colony for the aid which a mere approbation of the circle he patronises. But to be taunted with cowardice in at a crime for which the penalty is a lifecuted laws of the peninsula he governs, tendency on the part of all individuals is enough to shake the nerves of the most defiant. We might have hesitated of the Chinese Maritime Customs to arrow Orders may be sent through any of the to believe much that is said-and we did in fact credit Senhor Horta with a sincers desire to do justice-were it not that he left to this government a duty imposed Hart, now that this very talented gentle-

upon his own by the commonest feelings of humanity. Even as it is, we believe that his failure to act justly is rather the result of a fear of the coolie merchants than any natural inhumanity.

It is singular that the same issue of the Echo which copies the articles we have alluded to contains also an account of the sentence passed upon a Chinese who robbed and murdered a collector of coolies. Even "pig-dealers" must not be murdered for their money, so we should quite concur in the justice of the sentence regarded merely in a retributive light. But the affair throws a curious light upon the power possessed by the Macao authorities when bribery and intimidation do not step in to obstruct the course of justice. There appear to begrave doubts as to the legality of the sentence and the jurisdiction of the Judge who passed it, and we speak only in general terms of the necessity of suppressing piracy and murder. But it is some. what singular that this, as it is alleged. stretch of arbitrary authority has never been exercised over the kidnappers. The lit. tle episode of Senhor Rangel, with which? some of our readers may be familiar, will illustrate this. That gentleman, it appears, was the first to lodge information respecting the Annamite kidnappers, and upon doing so he was asked by the Judge "his motives!" Obstacles were thrown in the way of his carrying out his intentions fully, and by the time the tardy preparations for seizing the kidnappers had been completed, they had disappeared Shortly afterwards Senhor Rangel, who it was felt was a most inconvenient sort of philanthropist, was arrested on a charge (of which his innocence has been completely established) hurried off to prison and there detained for about a montha period which allowed the kidnappers to complete any little outstanding arrangements before their final disappearance. So disgraceful an episode in the legal annals of Macao needs no comment.

Now that the Portuguese government has determined upon vindicating its cha-" racter, it is to be hoped that it will not confine its efforts solely to an enquiry into official laxity, but will invite proof of complicity in kidnapping against the Nothing will tend to strengthen their footing in the Peninsula more than such a step, and the Chinese authorities and

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LOCAL.

Luey Atung alias Luey-kok-fel and hiswitness were both committed for trial to sense of shame would have extorted from | the Supreme Court this morning on a charge most officials whose countrymen had of perjury. This case, it may be remembeen the kidnappers. We do not envy bered, arose out of an action in the Small tables in Chap. VII., for estimating prices, that exalted functionary his feelings at Cause Court on Tuesday last, when the his own identity to escape the payment of \$500; and the second prisoner sought to conduct by English papers or even by corroborate all the lies told by the first. Those for calculating the prices of tea in those published in the Portuguese lan- Bail was granted by the Magistrate to both ments in Bullion," has been prepared and friends, and he has certainly merited the the second prisoner was undefended. Mr Rozario, interpreter ; Wong Cheung Yeen, plaintiff in the action in question at the Summary Court; and an old woman, witsuppressing the report of the matter to ness in the Summary Court cause, appeared

> THE following extract from a recent letter by the Hongkong correspondent of the London and China Telegraph, possesses some local interest !- "The seemingly inevitable placed in the position of Inspector General gate despotic power over not only a portion of the Chinese administration, but also 36 far as possible over all foreigners in China is becoming very noticeable in Mr Robert

man considers himself firmly estab the position from which he ousted His great ambition is known t concentration in the hands of his nate commissioners of those jud tions with respect to foreigners. Chinese Government has been to recognise as beyond its scope and which are necessarily confic Consular representatives of the Powers. In every Customs' promulgated by the Inspector G stealthy step in this direction m cerned, and the latest autocratio this kind, his Pilotage Regula which Consular authority is ign his aubordinates are invested wit trolled power to fine and otherw. toreign pilots, besides hampering shipping with heavy and unnece peuses, has called forth an earnes addressed to M. M.'s Minister. Shanghai Chamber of Commerce. step in the same direction has qui ly been manifested in a set of re published at Shanghai, devised purpose of enabling Chinese su become the owners of foreign-but - a heavy blow at the coastic which is now chiefly in the hands shipowners. These regulations lished, it would seem, tentatively purpose of eliciting an expression opinion, as they are neither si dated. Should they receive the of the British, French, and Unit Governments, Chinese owned stea sailing vessels will speedily mono coasting trade, as their chief ma would enable them to reduce fr below the level that would be rem for foreign vessels."

No. 1442.—JANUARY

VICTORIA LIBRARY AND RI The Annual General Meeting

Victoria Library and Reading R

held at the Rooms, Club Lusitan

15th instant. Present :- Hon. C. (in the Chair), Messra F. W. Mitch treas.), Jas. Russell (hon. secy. Crawford, G. A. F. Norris, F. 1. I J. Hayes, J., Gerrard, J. J. Franc Barrington, W. Buncombe and C. Jun. The nineteenth annual re printed below) was read; when iss was proposed by Mr Buncombe, by Mr Gerrard and unanimously a In reference to the election of offici and the large staff necessary present rules, it was proposed chell, and seconded by Mr Craw Rule I, be amended as follows-" members of committee, together Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasu constitute the government of th tion"; which motion was agreed Mitchell was then re-elected Hon er, and Mr Russell Hon. Secretar Hon. C. C. Smith, and Messrs Ge Crawford, were elected as member mittee.—Mr J. J. Francis raised cussion anent the advisability handing over the property of the tion to the Trustees of the City any members were left upon the books. Twenty-nine was the stated as regular members; an thought that the books, &c., ung sented now while there were s members left to do so-such, being' on condition that the Trustees should keep the liby to the public and add to it ye worth of new books. A motio effect was put to the meeting; w! through .- Mr Hazeland proposed thanks to past officers of the in which, having been seconded by rard, was carried unanimously, thanks to the Chairman-propos Hazeland and seconded by Mr N finished the business of the meeti

nineteenth Annual Report, and i they are sorry to state that the much to say that is favourable. years ago when the finances of th tion were at a very low ebb an a made to the community. This a heartily responded to, and for a impending calamity of insolve staved off. The list of subser Several new books All the best periodic ohased. obtained, and everything seemed to a complete resuscitation. But of things did not last long. diminution in the list of subscri became apparent, and your Coin their last report were obliged t that their previous hopes were thewing themselves to be groundle In the month of February last y Committee, feeling that some furt. should be made to support the directed the Secretary to publis local papers a list of the peri dies zines and newspapers which were supplied to the Library, and at time to request the community to the institution.

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Nineteenth Report of the Victoria

The Committee of the Victor

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scribers had withdrawn their subsc the list therefore stood much the s the advertising as it did before. Last month your Committee s rapidity of the diminution of the of Subscribers directed the Secri call a special General Meeting to consideration the advisability o the institution or of devising meacontinuance. The meeting was the 18th December last, and was tively very numerously attended. A proposition from the Directo Club Lucitano to the effect that the supply a room in their Club house and gas to be used as a library month, and perinit the subscribe Victoria Library and Reading read-the papers supplied to their was unbmitted to the meeting by chell and seconded by the Hon Smith Mitchell in support proposition for the removal to t lusitano draw attention to the sta funds of the Library, and shewed was absolutely necessary that so Pourse should be adopted. The almost unanimously, consured Views and the resolution was carr large majority. In accordance w resolution the books were remove Wyndham Street at the end of De and the Library's subscription

tald," The "Daily Press," and Mail," Were discontinued. The accounts for the past year h duly audited and an abstract of

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the commonest feelings even as it is, we believe act justly is rather the t the coolie merchants

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ct from a recent letter correspondent of the cyruph, possesses some seemingly inevitable rt of all individuals in of Inspector General itime Customs to arrover not only a portion nistration, but also so all foreigners in China ticeable in Mr Robert very talented gentles

concentration in the hands of his subordinate commissioners of those judicial func- for the ensuing year. tions with respect to foreigners which the Chinese Government has been compelled to recognise as beyond its scope of action, and which are necessarily confided to the Consular representatives of the various Powers. In every Customs' regulation | the Victoria Library and Reading Rooms. promulgated by the Inspector-General a Dr. stealthy step in this direction may be dis- 1867. cerned, and the latest autocratic device of Jan. 1, To balance from last this kind, his Pilotage Regulations, in which Consular anthority is ignored, and Dec. 31, To subscriptions from his subordinates are invested with uncontrolled power to fine and otherwise punish toreign pilots, besides hampering foreign shipping with heavy and unnecessary ex- Cr. péuses, has called forth an earnest protest, Dec. 31. 1867. addressed to M. M.'s Minister, from the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce. Another step in the same direction has quite recent ly been manifested in a set of regulations published at Shaughui, devised for the purpose of enabling Chinese subjects to become the owners of foreign-built vessels -a heavy blow at the coasting trade. which is now chiefly in the hands of British shipowners. These regulations are published, it would seem, tentatively, for the purpose of cliciting an expression of public opinion, as they are neither signed nor dated. Should they receive the approval of the British, French, and United States Governments, Chinese-owned steamers and sailing vessels will speedily monopolise the coasting trade, as their chief management would enable them to reduce freights far

VICTORIA LIBRARY AND READING | Imperial Palace :-

by Mr Gerrard and unanimously agreed to. fugitives were enabled in a few hours to In reference to the election of office-bearers, return to their dwelling. tion to the Trustees of the City Hall, while Hazeland and seconded by Mr Mitchell-

finished the business of the meeting. Nineteenth Report of the Victoria Library and Reading Rooms. and Reading Rooms beg to submit their advance of delivery. It is quite a lengthy nineteenth Annual Report, and in so doing | document. A large portion is devoted to they are sorry to state that there is not a review of the President's policy, being much to say that is favourable. About two principally a statement of the views emboyears ago when the mances of the institu- died in the veto messages of the various tion were at a very low ebb an appeal was Reconstruction bills. The President argues made to the community. This appeal was a repeal of all these measures and a resort heartily responded to, and for a time the to a faithful application of the Constitution impending calamity of insolvency was and laws. He argues against the capacity slaved off. The list of subscribers in- of the negro for self-government and decreased. Several new books were pur- nounces the plan of putting the Covernobtained, and everything seemed to point entirely in the hands of negroes. He says to a complete resuscitation. But this state, it will cost \$200,000,000 yearly to maintain of things did not last long. A sensible the supremacy of negro governments. diminution in the list of subscribers soon He refers to the recent elections as an became apparent, and your Committee in additional reason for a change of policy their last report were obliged to observe from the recent plan of reconstruction. He that their previous hopes were rapidly has given much consideration to the questhewing themselves to be groundless. In the month of February Last year your | toot, defend and preserve the Constitution, Committee, feeling that some further effort | requires him to go in opposing the uncon-

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scribers, had withdrawn their subscriptions; gurdless of consequences. For example, if film from the eyes of the machinists of this dence, that they did. the list therefore stood much the same after | the Legislature should nudertake to abolish | country, and they are now alive to the im- To John Cabot then, and his son Sebasthe advertising as it did before.

lively very numerously attended.

the position from which he ousted Mr Lay, that a balance of \$268.69 remains in hand comparatively easy matter to return to of our country will have to record. Our intricacies. Mr Deane, in presenting a well-known author of the "Jumping Frog". JAMES RUSSELL

> ABSTRACT ACCOUNT. The Treasurer in Account Current with

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vear's account..... 1st Jan. to date......

By rent and taxes to date. \$594.60 , Less received from Mr Remittances to England, India, &c.,.... Subscriptions to local Papers,.... Wages, Oil & sundries, Balance,

> F. W. MITCHELL, Treasurer. F. I. HAZELAND,

THE NORTH. The following paragraphs in the Recorder

JOSEPH HAYES.

Victoria Library and Reading Rooms was | Chinkiang, informs us that a fire broke out | non-intervention. held at the Rooms, Club Lusitano, on the in the Imperial Palace and that at one 15th instant. Present: Hon. C. C. Smith time the utmost consternation prevailed. (in the Chair), Messes F. W. Mitchell (non. The moment the danger was discovered the Barrington, W. Buncombe and U. Wagner, attendants, and were lodged at the resiprinted below) was read; when its adoption | Prince Kung. Fortunately the flames did | naval force to suppress the slave trade. was proposed by Mr Buncombe, seconded not extend to any great distance, and the

and the large staff necessary under the Our readers may remember that Prince present rules, it was proposed by Mr Mit- Kung was disgraced some three years ago

effect was put to the meeting; when it fell wish on the part of the Chinese to become through.—Mr Hazeland proposed a vote of better understood by Foreign Powers, and thanks to past officers of the institution : evinced a desire to enter upon a course of which, having been seconded by Mr Ger- progress, which I trust sincerely may lead

THE U.S. PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

SYNOPSIS OF ITS CONTENTS. Chicago, December 3.—The Chicago pa-The Committee of the Victoria Library pers print the President's Message in All the best periodicals were ments of the Southern States almost

tion how far the President's duty to prothould be made to support the Library, stitutional action of Congress. He has felt the co-ordinate department of the Govern- portance, and, indeed, the necessity of tian, still belongs the honor of the redisrapidity of the diminution of the number sibility of his high office to save the life of the future.

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man considers himself firmly established in now laid before you, by which you will see exports and imports show that it will be a unfortunate epochs the future historian Cabot, which does more to clear up their "Mark Travin" in Palestine.—The

He advises a reduction of the number of 702 32 economy in all departments of the Govern-

the various reports. The navy comprises generations yet to come,

ports have been previously telegraphed.

zen from native allegiance. The doctrine especially with the national debt unpaid, tional will unmistakably on this question.

AUSTRALIA

(Sydney Empire, Nov. 28.) The Tsunle Yamen have addressed des- the natives of the Upper Thames district, evil thereof. any members were left upon the Society's patches to the foreign Ministers with re- in the province of Auckland; baving most "The fact is many believe now what I Minister!

Clermont, on the Mackenzie River, were re- has, no doubt, provided a jolly time and formal trial of his strength, speed and breath; "I'm bringing her turning to Rockhampton with coin and good pay to some of the privileged ones, so temper. A stranger comes from a distant camp!" notes to the value of four thousand pounds that some one has had the advantage of it. school with a better dress, trinkets in his Croker, Secretary of the Admiralty, was in their possession, for the use of the banks. the road, the money being gone. The ourselves first copied, and then beaten by shall find him out to morrow."—Ralph Duke of Wellington right as to the battle troopers had both been shot through the such plodding and industrious races as the Waldo Emerson. head, and at first there was a report that Freuch and Germans?"

they had also been poisoned, but this wants confirmation. The most startling circumstance of the case is that the Assistant Gold Commissioner of the district, Mr Griffin, himself a magistrate, was the last person seen in the company of the men, on suspicion of whose murder he had since been arrested, and forwarded in custody to Rockhumpton. There are no particulars of this shocking affair as yet, excepting such as have been received by telegram, and the public await the receipt of news of the police examination, and inquest, before ven-

turing to form any decided opinion on the THE PROSPECTS OF OUR ENGL

Subscribers directed the Secretary to the nation, at all hazards. He thinks the There can be no doubt that at the French discovered, that, when they wanted, they call a special General Meeting to take into reconstruction acts, though plainly uncon- Exhibition one of the most striking facts could find it again. On this discovery of consideration, the advisability of closing stitutional, do not warrant forcible resist was the inferiority shown by England in its | theirs, indeed, turned the English claim to the institution or of devising means for its ance on the part of the Executive. These engineering and mechanical progress as possession here, which resulted in the continuance. The meeting was held or wrongs may be redressed by the ballot, compared with that displayed by Continent settlement of the United States and the the 18th December last, and was compara and the recent elections show they will be tal nations. A large amount of attention conquest of Canada. Yet, if at any mo-He then refers to the frauds on the has been drawn to the subject during the ment, England had been called upon to A proposition from the Directors of the Treasury, and the temptation to corruption past few months. It has been said in ex- verify these discoveries from papers in her Club Lusitano to the effect that they would on the part of revenue officers. He de cuse that our machinists have found out own archives, her statesmen would have hupply a room in their Club house with fire I nounces the Tenure of Office bill as a that exhibiting their tools and inventions found it hard to prove that the Cabots even and gas to be used as a library for \$15 a | measure which prevents the Executive from does not pay." This is to some extent sailed. Certain charters were given them, bomth, and permit the subscribers to the discharging dishouest officials, and charges true, and it is irrefutable that England has but of what they did under those charters Victoria Library and Reading Rooms to the immense revenue frauds as the result now to face a more formidable competition no trace has been found in the English the papers supplied to their rooms, of its operation. This bill, says the Pre- for pre-eminence in engineering works than State-papers which has thrown any distinct was submitted to the meeting by hir Mit- sident, makes him a common informer it has ever done before. Thus another ele- light on history. the state of the Hon. C. C. against corrupt officials, but takes away the ment of uncertainty is placed before us, It has happened, therefore, that the ment of uncertainty is placed before us, It has happened, therefore, that the ment of uncertainty is placed before us, and important bearing on the Cabots have furnished one which will have an important bearing on the Cabots have furnished one

specie payment. He pronounces a disor- progress during this reign can only be com- copy of this map to the Antiquarian Society, and other humorous sketches is making an You will now have to elect office-bearers dered currency the greatest ovil, and says parent to that of the spendthrift heir coming explained its historical value—and went excursion in the Holy Land, and sends of all contrivances for cheating the labor into his property, and then dissipating the beyond the points immediately illustrated reports of his observations to the Alta Caliing classes, none has been more effectual whole by thoughtlessness and folly. About in it, to discuss and to decide some of the forma. It will be readily understood that He expatiates at considerable length the noblest property the world has ever pressing the interest which all students of "While I am speaking of animals, I will upon the evils of a depreciated currency seen; or perhaps ever will see. The great history will take in this paper and in the mention that I have got a horse by the and advises the enactment of an impost inventions of Boulton, Watt, Arkweight, discussions which accompany it, we must name of Jerico. He is a mare. I have articles taxed, and urges retrenchment and coal and iron mines well developed, show. Mr Deane's paper as tersely as possible. could shy, and this one fills the bill. I

238 vessels, and the expenditures of the This delightful picture had only one margins of their maps and cyclopædias: tiality. He appears to have a mortal dread dark spot, viz, a debt or mortgage of 800 | First, the first land discovered was not of telegraph poles, especially; and it is The important portions of the other re- millions—a legacy left us by former wretch- Newfoundland, as is always stated, nor fortunate that these are on both sides of ed misgovernment. A great orator once Labrador as Mr Biddle thought, but Cape the road, because as it is now, I never fall A general review of our foreign relations | called it a flea bite. In one sense he was | Breton, right—it might have been made so, for if Second, the commander of the expedition same side always, it would get to be mono-He press the importance of possessing a common sense and prudent counsels had was John Cabot, whose son Sebastian sailed tonous after a while. This creature has 459.47 naval station in the West Indies, recites prevailed at the time nearly the whole of it with him. the experience to the revolutionary war by this time might have been redeemed. Third, the successful voyage was made in except a hay wagon. He walked up to re-187.70 and also the late rebellion, to show the ad- | The main trunk lines of railway should | 1497. vantage of possessing such an outpost. He have had a concesion only for a stated Fourth, the lost map, a copy of which that were astonishing. And it would fill says a treaty has been concluded with Den- period (99 years), as in France, and then to was in the king's gallery at Whitehall, is any one with admiration to see how he mark for the purchase of the Islands of St. have become the property of the State. not yet found. The "Mappe Mode," by preserves his self-possession in the presence Thomas and St. Johns. Each will be pre- This would have saved untold millions, Sebastian Cabot, now printed in Paris, is a of a barley sack. This dare-devil bravery which have been squandered by Parlia wholly different thing. He calls the attention of Congress to the mentary agents, lawyers, black mail, &c. Other details, of interest as a part of the He is not particularly fast, but I think he necessity of provisions for the payment of As to our coals, there never should a single geographical questions of those times, are through the Holy Land. He the purchase of Alaska.

The purchase o No arrangement has been made for the without payment of a royalty of 2s. 6d. per students of history are grateful to Mr ped off or driven up, and he has to fight settlement of the Alabama claims; he felt it ton, towards lessening the debt, and raw Deane for the light which he has thrown on the flies with his heels. This is all very his duty to decline the proposition of the pig iron twice that amount. This should points which are so fundamental in our well, but when he tries to kick a fly off the British Government for arbitration, be- have been continued till the whole debt had annals.—Boston Advertiser. below the level that would be remunerative of Jan. 10th, received by the China, from cause, hitherto, it has been accompanied been paid. I am sware that this doctrine Shanghai, escaped our notice yesterday. with reservations and limitations incom- will be fiercely opposed, as militating There is no mention in the Daily News patible with the rights and interests and against the favourite theory of free trade. of same date, of the reported fire at the honor of the country. He does not appre- But I still maintain that these storeshend that Great Britain will persist in a which no human ingenuity can ever replace A correspondent in Pekin, writing per refusal to satisfy the just and reasonable should have been looked at and treated (New York). A correspondent of one of

THE DISCOVERY OF AMERICA-

JOHN CABOT'S EXPEDITION. The first discovery of the northern par of this continent has been shrouded in mystery much more profound than the accounts of the discovery of the West Indies, of Mexico, or of South America. The discovery of the Vinland brings forward the most curious questions, which will always be asked and will never be answered, as to the geography of the discoveries made by those Norse seamen, o whom the history lay so long concealed is the Icelandic literature. Later down than that series of adventures, it seems certain that the Bincayan fishermen were taking NEERING AND IRON INDUSTRIES. | cod on the Grand Banks before Columbus The Emperor Napoleon said, in his speech sailed for the Indies If we may believe directed the Secretary to publish in the anxious to reach a proper conclusion of to the Legislative Assembly on the 18th the Biscayan writers of our own time, they this serious and important question, and inst., that the traces of the Universal Exhi- were there long before. Unfortunately no zines and newspapers which were regularly says the Executive resistance to Acts of bition will leave a deep impression upon contemporary accounts have been produced supplied to the Library, and at the same Congress passed according to the forms of our age." There can be no doubt of this, relating to these voyages sufficiently accutime to request the community to support the Constitution, might provoke civil war and nowhere will that impression be more rate to fix their character, and although it in times of high party excitement which permanent than in England. Our commer is easy to conjecture that fishermen on the In consequence of this advertisement a should only be resorted to as a last remedy; cial supremacy has been hitherto in a great Grand Banks must have known of the few members were added to the list, but but cases might arise where the Executive measure owing to our coal and iron mines; lands west of them, the French authors almost an equal number of former sub- might be compelled to protect rights re- but this Exhibition appears to have taken a have thus far failed to produce any evi-

Last month your Committee seeing the ment, the President must take the respon- looking more carefully to their interests in covery of North America, and the fixing by such accurate observations the point

proposition for the removal to the Club should be released from all responsibility, our future commercial progress. of the vexed questions of American history. to the state of the if not allowed to make appointments in his A writer in the Engineer, Mr.R. Way. Whether there were two Cabots or only fluds of the Library, and shewed that it own discretion. The danger to the public good, who states that he is one of the one Cabot, has been one question. High subsolutely necessary that some such service donies from the power of appoint-oldest engineers in London, and has studied suthorities have argued that John Cabot, almost should be adopted. The meeting, ment, not from the power of removal, the subject for many years, attributes the supposed father of Sebastian, never almost unanimously, consured in this Therefore the Constitution left the power enormous strides made by Continental mahew shill the resolution was carried by a of removal flurestricted, while it gave the chimists since 1851 as compared with Eng. age was in 1497 or 1498—whether the abharge misjority. In accordance with that Senate the right to reject appointments, lish progress in the same period, to three called first two voyages were in fact two or

and an abstract of them is try. The facts and figures with regard to to think that it will turn out one of the most of a great map of the world by Sepastian he is fried

MISCELLANEOUS THE OBJECTORS TO LONG SERMONS. The Annual General Meeting of the Overland Mail brought on per Hirado from claims which involve the sacred principle of in altogether a different light from articles our contemporaries is responsible for the He refers to the doctrine of the United of the great productions of nature, which who takes ten minutes to prepare the faedi-The migration of Australian Governors is which still remains, most men admit that his discussion of the immortal Life, 'inside' know this." chell, and seconded by Mr Crawford, that for alleged disrespect to the mother of about to commence. His Excellency Sir this great consumption cannot long continue of 20 minutes. A Lawyer who consumes 3 Rule I. be amended as follows—"That three Tung-chi; and if our correspondent is cor- John Young who had delayed his departure without some of the sources of supply be- hours in arguing a question of Law, relat- who has great faith in the catechism, and members of committee, together with the rect in surmising that it was in Prince from sydney in consequence of the anticle ing exhausted, thereby throwing a greater ling to the ownership of a barrel of apples, teaches it with a persinacity that would Hon Secretary and Hon. Treasurer, shall Kung's residence that the Empresses took pated arrival of the Duke of Edinburgh, strain on others, and, of course, largely in- is indignant at his minister for exceeding challenge the admiration of a Luther or constitute the government of the institut refuge, it would appear that all cause of ill that now resolved to sail for Europe by way creasing the price. The consequence of 25 minutes in unfolding one of the greatest Calvin, was putting the youngest of four tion"; which motion was agreed to. Mr | will has been since removed. Our correspondent also mentions that Mr His successor, Lord Belmore, is on his way contemplate. The only reasonable theory which the tolerable existence of Society de- tion came up: "Who tempted Eve?" er, and Mr Russell Hon. Secretary; while J. McLeary Brown is receiving a series of out to the colony by the ship Sobraon, and for the supineness of the Government in pends. The Judge, who fills two hours The little fellow, after a few moments' Hon. C. C. Smith, and Messrs Gerrard and farewell dinners preparatory to his department of the matter is to suppose that they must be with 'his Opinion' on the right of Counsel thought, with an air of confidence, ex-Crawford, were elected as members of Com- ture from Peking on the 6th instant. He Prince Alfred next January. Sir George believers in Dr Cumming, who prophesied to challenge Witness, grumbles at his mini- claimed: "It's the gentleman who lives mittee.—Mr J. J. Francis raised some dis- will make the journey via Chinkiang, ac- Bowen leaves Queensland for New Zealand that the end of the world would take place ster, because he prolonged the discussion in hell, I've forgotten his name." cussion sment the advisability of at once companied by the two high officials of the next month and is likely to find a troublous somewhere about this time. Their motto of the fundamental Laws of Human Pro- How HE BROUGHT IN HIS GAME,—A

"Can we wonder, therefore, that, after pockets, with airs and pretensions. An the ne plus of impudent Irishmen. He

living a short distance out of the village is contradictory. This upset the Duke's pain the habit of frequently coming into the | tience, and he exclaimed, 'Come, Croker, town and drinking to inebriation. At such | 1 may not know much about Waterleo; seasons he is apt to call on his Honor, but d-it, I should know something Judge M Recently he visited town, about copper caps." became decidedly tipsy, called upon Judge | M-, and desired the Judge to write him | smoker often seen at home?-In a wreath a pledge, asserting his intention to cease of smoke. drinking His Honor wrote the desired pledge as desired, and the tipsy individual storm" should be compelled to tell where affixed his name thereto. He then desired be gets it. to have the pledge that he might take it home and exhibit it to his wife. His Honor fills many a bier. thought be was himself the proper custodian | Ir often happens, when the husband fails of the important agreement, but yielded to the solicitations of the man, at the same fast days, time assuring him that if he broke the contract, and appeared before him again in a state of intoxication, he would have him bills. locked up. A week elapsed, and the Judge was confronted by the same man as tipsy as for a scolding wife?—He takes an elixer. aforetimes. "How is this?" "Judge M-," said the tipsy fellow, "you think I am a fool ! I know what I am about. I'll show you if I am a fool!" and he drew forth his wallet from his pocket, took out his pledge, unfolded its worn creases, and, holding it up triumphantly, exclaimed "Will you just show me the United States Internal Ravenue stamp on that agree-

ment." The Judge caved. MRS HANNAH MORE was reproved bay gentleman for taking snuff. He observed he had never heard one good reason urged in favour of the practice; she replied she could give him half a dozon, and immediately repeated the following impromptu :-You say six reasons are enough

To justify my taking snuff.

First, you'll allow in every nation The prejudice of education: The fashion, too; you must confess, Weighs with the ladies more or less; When to dull company confined, It serves to amuse the vacant mind; It next affords us some protection Against the dangers of infection (And, though it may not suit your case, It shows a hand, an arm, a grace, And if you'll have another still.

What think you of a woman's will ! Sound Advice. - A spendthrift had a fortune left him, and was advised by a friend to purchase a farm notorious for its \ neglected state and sterility .- "Why," said the spendthrift, "there is not a single to become medical men. passable road through the whole farm!"

the year of grace 1850 England attained its curious questions at issue. His paper is his style of description is not that of either majority, and came into full possession of now printed by the society. While ex- Guthrie or Stanley. He rides, of course :-Stephenson, and other kindred spirits, all not attempt here to lead our readers into seen remarkable horses before, but none so completed, and bearing glorious fruit; our the details, which are, indeed, explained in remarkable as this. I wanted a horse that ing the enormous stores a kind Providence. We cannot abridge his distinct statements. had an idea that shying indicated spirit. had provided for us stores which, if pro- The points of interest to general readers, If I was correct, I have got the most spirit-The President gives brief summaries of perly used, would have served for many now made certain, are the following, which ed horse on earth. He shies at everything we advise our readers to note on the he comes across, with the utmost imparoff twice on the same side. If I fell on the that with an intropidity and recklessness top of his head with his hind foot, it is too much variety. He is going to get himself into trouble that way, some day. He reaches around and bites my legs, too. T don't care particularly about that, only I The following is from the Church Journal | don't like to see a horse too sociable. I think the owner of this prize had a wrong opinion about him. He had an idea that of commerce, the work of men's hands, or following viz:-Sermons. The Physician he was one of those fiery, untamed steeds, States that naturalization absolves the citi- are annually developed by his industry— cine for a beadache, is nervously restive if the Arab has this idea, because when he but he is not of that character. I know treas.), Jus. Russell (hon. becy.) D. R. Empresses Dowager and the youthful Em- is denied by Prussia and Great Britain; and and which has not been, I believe, reduced attempting to relieve a chronic headache. Beirout, he kept jerking at the bridle and Crawford, G.A. F. Norris, F. L. Hazeland, peror were conducted out of the Palace by he appeals to Congress to declare the na- a sixpence during all the twenty prosperous The belle who had spent—how long?—in shouting in Arabic, 'Ho! will you! Do years we have had, even in a time of pro- adjusting her tresses, or the bow of her you want to run away, you ferocious beast, He concludes by suggesting the discon- found peace—such a time we may likely ribbon, is remorseless in her criticism on and break your neck? when all the time Jun. The minister who does not fluish his media the horse was not doing anything in the our coals at the enormous rate of 102 mil- tations on the Love of God, in 15 minutes. world, and only looked like he wanted to lions of tons a year, and this is on the in- The Fop who has combed and stroked and lean up against something and think, crease, considerable portions of which being perfunded and greased his beard and mous. Whenever he is not shying at things, or for exportation. Whatever opinion the tache for half an hour, is mortified past en- reaching after a fly, he wants to do that cognescents may hold as to the quantity durance if the poor muister is not through yet. How it would surprise his owner to

task in dealing with his new Government has been sufficient unto the day is the gress, to 30 minutes. Under such circum miner at Pike's Peak took his gun, and stances sad indeed is the lot of the poor strayed a short distance from the camp and books. Twenty-nine was the number ference to the status of the Chinese officials positively refused to allow European pros- prognosticated seventeen years ago—the WE Pass FOR WHAT WE ARE.—A man the old bear, who was near at hand, ready stated as regular members; and Mr F. who accompany Mr Burlingames. The do pecting parties to enter their territory in 1851 Exhibition was a mistake. We there passes for what he is worth. Very idle is to avenge the death of her offspring. The thought that the books, &c., might be pre- cument is to the effect that the Chinese search of gold, which is known to exist, and showed the world what the last two or three all curiosity concerning other people's hunter approached his game with an exsented now while there were still a few gentlemen are novitiates in the art of fo- has been produced in some quantities on generations of the nation of shopkeepers' estimate of us, and all fear of remaining ultant air, glowing in his success, and members left to do so—such, however, reign diplomacy, and that one object of the lower parts of the Thames River. The had been about all the time. We there unknown is not less so, If a man knows anticipating the astonishment of his combeing on condition that the City Hall their appointment is to fit them to represent Maories will be found more difficult sub- showed them the goods we made, and how that he can do not panions to see him march into their midst-Trustees should keep the library open China at the Courts of the Treaty Powers jects to deal with than the aboriginal inhat we made them; what tools we used, and better than any one else—he has a pledge with an ample supply of tender bear meat; to the public sind add to it yearly \$500 at a future date. The document, says bitants of Queensland, whom the Govern- how to use them, and where they were of acknowledgment of that fact by all per when to his surprise, he saw a large bear ment there have been in the habit of mak-, made; gave them our drawings, and threw sons. The world is full of judgment days, bounding towards him, very much detering short work of by means of the military open our workshops for their inspection; and into every assemblage that a man en- mined to demolish him at one meal. Our and even now the Government has, at an ters, in every action he attempts, he is hero dropped his gun, and started off like a From Northern Queensland we have a expense of hear one hundred and twenty gauged and stamped. In every troop of frightened deer down the hill. His compahorrible story of murder, as yet deficient in thousand; sent over its best guns to show. boys that whoop and run in each yard and nions saw him coming tearing through the rard, was carried unanimously. A vote of to the happiest results both to China and details, but presenting several features that What motive they could have for doing so square, a new comor is well and accurately bush, and sung out to him, "What's the render it probable. Two police troopers -unless they intend starting gunmakers to weighed in a few days, and stamped with matter "-" Gi-gi-gi-git your guns-ready attached to the gold-field station known as the whole world—I cannot possibly see. It his right number, as if he had undergone a for a shot!" stammered he, almost out of

> when they were found dead in a house on all this defiant boasting and show, we find older boy says to himself, "It's no use, we would pertinacionally insist on setting the of Waterloo, The Duke shifted the con-No STAMP ON IT. - I good joke came off versation to percussion caps used in the quite recently at a court-house. A person army; upon which Croker was again

In what head-dress is the wife of a

A SHIPMASTER who takes "any port in a BEER fills many a bottle, and the bottle

to be home to dinner, that it is one of his.

WHY do honest ducks dip their heads under water?-To liquidate their little WHAT medicine does a foolish man take

(He takes and he licks her.) NECESSARIES .- "We shall know what are necessaries of life," said a country grocer during a severe storm, "as no one will venture forth to-day except to procure them." In the evening he found that most of his sales were yellow anuff and ruin. "I so through my work," as the needle said to the idle boy. "But not till you are. hard pushed," as the idle boy sald to the

How is it you can never tell a lady's real bysterics from her sham ones? Because, in either case, it's a feint.

LASTS SOME TIME. -Rov. Dr Mulenburg. who wrote "I would not live always," is contentedly going through his seventy-first A DECISION.—Judge Ludlow, of Phil-

adelphia, has decided that to dazzle the eyes of people with a looking-glass is equivalent to an assault and battery, A BIG FAMILY. -A father of three sons and five daughters was asked what family he had. The answer was : "I have three,

sous, and they have each five sisters." "Mercy," replied the interrogator, "sic a family ye maun have." Fir. Two young ladies holding converse over a new dress. "And does it fit well?"

asked one. -"Fit ? Yes; as if I'd been melted and poured in!" An Irishman says he can see no earthly reason why women should not be allowed

Counteraction—a balancing provision of nature for the prevention of excess, where

ther in morals or mechanics. THE best service that we can render to the world is to mend ourselves; if each mends one, all will be mended.

The accounts for the past year have been production of gold and silver in this countries of gold and silver in this countr WHY does a bricklayer resemble a bird?

bavment is compulsory must be prepaid in Hongkong Postage Stamps Insufficiently-stamped Letters addressed t the United Kingdom will be sent on charged with a fine of One Shilling in addition to the postage. Letters posted after 11 A.M. will not be for warded unless the Late-Fee as well a the postage is prepaid. pany are now those lately occupied by Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped Mesers Lyall, Still & Co. addressed to places to which they can not be forwarded unpaid, will be open-Hongkong, July 4, 1867.

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ed and returned to the writers as early as possible, but no guarantee can given that such Letters, if posted o he morning of the Packet's departure will be returned until after the mail

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General Post-Office Hongkong, January 16, 1868.

Intimations. SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL, HONGKONG.

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W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-Mr Young, House Surgeon, W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer.

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be countersigned by some responsible Per son or Persons resident in the Colony. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended: lst Class,\$60.

\$40. W. PATERSON. Treasurer.

Hongkong, January 1, 1868. FRENCH!

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1 one of giving some French Lessons on moderate terms. Address X. X., care of Hongkong, September 25, 1867. NOTICE. THE OFFICES of Messra Augustine

HEARD & Co. have this day been removed to their old Promises adjoining the Cathédral. Höngkong, December 28, 1867.

INHE Ship-chandlery BUSINESS of th Journal of the state of the sta removed to Scott's Lane, No. 33. FREERKS. RODATZ & Co. Höngkong, December 9, 1867.

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of State for Foreign Affairs.

Rua da Feitoria at Macao.

Hongkong, June 8, 1867.

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tish Consular Agency at that Port will be temporarily discharged by Mr. Pro MARreturn without delay to the Undersigned QUES, subject to and pending the sanction of Her Britannic Majesty's Minister at the RIFLES they have been allowed to re-Peking, and of H. M. Principal Secretary tain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed. The Office of the British Consular Agency is for the present established at No. 23.

Hongkong, March 13, 1867. SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT.

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Hongkong, November 26, 1867.

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Hongkong, October 14, 1867. OHBIO PAR NOTIČE: IT is hereby notified that the portion of

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Surveyor General's Office, Hongkong, December 17, 1867. ENDERS will be received by the Under-signed at or before Noon, on SATUR-H. MATHERS begs to express his DAY, the 18th instant, for the supply of THANKS to the Subscribers to the SPARS, TIMBER and Timber MATH

RIALS, for the use of this Establishment. Further particulars can be obtained on application at this Office. A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper. H. M. Naval Yard, Hongkong, January 8, 1868.

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Duddell Street, (Opposite French Consulate.) Hongkong, April 2, 1866.

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